February 6, 2004

VIA HAND DELIVERY

The Honorable Bruce Duke Acting Executive Director Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

> Re: SC PSC Docket No. 2003-326-C SGS&L File No. 5672/1500

Dear Mr. Duke:

Enclosed for filing, please find the original and 11 copies of KMC Telecom, III LLC's Responses to BellSouth's First Interrogatories along with corresponding Attachments A, B, C, D, F and G in the referenced Docket. Please note that specific Confidential Responses labeled as Attachments A, B, C, D and G are sealed in separate envelopes. Please stamp the extra copy provided as proof of filing and return it to our courier.

Parties of interest will be served with Responses and Attachment F via electronic mail and will be served with specific Confidential Attachments via US Mail.

Sincerely,

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